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Subject: RE: CFAC, Smurfit-Stone, & a community involvement workshop

Hi, Julie.

Thanks for forwarding the information from Eric.

I like your idea of attending the training and getting acquainted with all of you! Unfortunately, I'm going to be out on leave that week. If you happen to schedule the training for another date, please let me know, and perhaps I can make it.

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Subject: FW: CFAC, Smurfit-Stone, & a community involvement workshop

Hi folks: continuing to follow up on CFAC communications and remembered this correspondence with Eric Finke. Given interest from Senator Tester's staffers, Virginia and Erik Nylund, I thought you should be aware that the community may bring up the request again and that Caryn had outreached to Eric. As a reminder, Eric is under contract to our Conflict Prevention and Resolution Center house at OECA in D.C. so he is readily available to assist. Eric has Mike and Cynthia's contact information.

Joe, also see Eric offer for a workshop that he discusses in the last paragraph. I am thinking this might be a good project for Robert when he comes on board in later September. (Cynthia, you should come to Helena for the training and to meet everyone!)

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Subject: CFAC, Smurfit-Stone, & a community involvement workshop

Hi Julie! I hope things are well there for you, and for Mike and Lisa too.

If I remember correctly, the comment period for CFAC's proposed NPL listing ended June 2. I don't expect there to be any new developments in terms of public involvement activities yet, but I thought I'd ask anyway.

Also, some months ago Caryn Miske expressed to Steve Ackerlund and me her interest in having a visioning activity conducted at the Smurfit-Stone site near Frenchtown. Has there been any effort to move in that direction there?

And has there been an expression of interest in a TAG at either of those sites?

Lastly, Steve Ackerlund and I have prepared a workshop in which we examine controversy at Superfund sites with an eye toward adjusting community involvement activities to preclude or alleviate it. We draw on the documented successes of other administrative agencies that, like EPA, make their decisions in a publicly vetted forum, and on Steve's own experiences with the Montana communities he works with as a TAG consultant. We'd be happy to discuss this workshop with you in the next week or two as your schedule allows in order to tailor it to the Montana Office's circumstances and needs. We would also be happy to present this 2-hour workshop sometime during September 14-25.

Thanks, Julie, and take care.

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